



SPEAKERS BUREAU



*Whatever
your interest,
let's talk about it!*

SCHEDULE YOUR SPEAKER TODAY!

The Palm Beach County Public Affairs Department coordinates the Speakers Bureau, a resource for businesses, civic organizations, homeowners associations, volunteer groups and other organizations needing specialized speakers.

Knowledgeable representatives from county departments are available to speak on various topics as a free public service. Topics range from agriculture and animals to youth services and zoning. Many departments will tailor a presentation to fit your specific interests.

This brochure lists topics and services addressed by speakers from Palm Beach County departments and divisions choosing to participate in the Speaker Bureau.

Please call Public Affairs at [561-355-2754](tel:561-355-2754) at least two weeks before your scheduled event to allow sufficient time to meet your request. We look forward to serving you!



911 PROGRAM SERVICES

- 9-1-1 for Kids
- When to Call 9-1-1
- Location Accuracy
- 9-1-1 Myths & Misinformation
- Text-to-9-1-1

ADMINISTRATION

- Overall Management of All County Operations
- Water Resources Issues of Southeast Florida

AIRPORTS

- General Aviation
- Noise Abatement
- Operations
- Security

ANIMAL CARE & CONTROL

- Animal Ordinances
- Animal Cruelty & Neglect Investigations
- Community Cat Program
- Dangerous Dog Investigations
- Disaster Preparedness for Pet Owners
- Rabies Surveillance Program

COMMUNITY SERVICES

- Behavioral Health & Substance Use Disorders
- HIV/AIDS
- Homelessness
- Senior Programs/Elder Care
- Social Services
- Trainings & Job Placement
- Veterans Services

COMMISSION ON ETHICS

- Code of Ethics
- Fostering Integrity in Local Government
- Lobbyist Registration Ordinance
- Overview of the Commission on Ethics
- Post-Employment Ordinance

CONSUMER AFFAIRS

- Consumer Affairs Division Programs: Overview
- Consumer Affairs Informal Mediation Program
- Dealing with Contractors
- Health Scams
- Holiday Scams
- Holiday Shopping/Giving
- Identity Theft
- Palm Beach County Consumer Protection Ordinance
- Scams
- Social Media Savvy

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

- 4-H Youth Program
- Agriculture
- Environmental Horticulture
- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Mounts Botanical Garden of Palm Beach County

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION

- Body-Worn Cameras
- Criminal Courts
- Criminal Justice System
- Local & State Corrections
- Racial & Ethnic Disparity
- Crime & Jail Population Data
- How to Work with Law Enforcement
- Community Engagement
- Current Events & Law Enforcement
- Behavioral/Mental Health in Palm Beach County

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT/EOC

- All-Hazards Preparedness
- Division of Emergency Management: An Overview
- Emergency Medical Services
- Hurricane Preparedness
- Terrorism

ENGINEERING & PUBLIC WORKS

- Five-Year Road Plan
- Land Development Issues
- Traffic Performance Standards & Concurrency
- Traffic Signals & Calming Devices

ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

- Beach Renourishment & Sea Turtles
- Lake Worth Lagoon & Manatees
- Natural & Artificial Reefs
- Natural Areas & Outdoor Recreation

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

- Equal Opportunity Within Employment, Housing, Public Accommodations & Handicapped Accessibility

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT & BUDGET

- County Budget

FIRE RESCUE

- Babysitting Safety
- Carbon Monoxide Awareness
- Career Day/Community Helpers
- Child Passenger Seat Safety
- CPR/AED/First Aid (Non-certification)
- Drowning Prevention & Pool Safety
- Emergency Medical Services
- Fall Prevention
- Fire Extinguisher
- Fire Safety & Injury Prevention
- Fire Station Tour
- Fireworks Safety
- Gold Cart Safety
- Home Safety Surveys
- Hurricane Preparedness
- Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Program
- Lithium Battery Awareness
- Stop the Bleed

HOUSING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Business Initiatives
- Community Development Initiatives
- Housing Initiatives

HUMAN RESOURCES

- Labor Relations

INFORMATION SYSTEMS SERVICES

- County Web Infrastructure & Online Services
- Cyber Security & Awareness
- Enterprise Network
- In-House Development Success Stories

- IT Cost-Sharing/Partnering Opportunities
- New Technology Initiatives & Programs

INSPECTOR GENERAL

- Accountability & Integrity in Government
- Internal Controls
- Preventing & Detecting Fraud
- Public Procurement 101 & Lessons Learned

JUSTICE SERVICES

- Ex-Offender Reentry Services
- Pretrial Services

LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

- Constitutional Ballot Initiatives
- State & Federal Funding Appropriations
- State & Federal Issues

LIBRARY

- Consumer Health Information Service
- Genealogy Research
- Job Search & Business Assistance
- Talking Books for the Blind & Visually Impaired
- Early Childhood Literacy
- Technology Resources & Training

MORIKAMI MUSEUM & JAPANESE GARDENS

- Japanese Culture & History
- The Morikami Museum & the Yamato Colony

OFFICE OF EQUAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

- Certification
- How to Do Business with Palm Beach County
- How to Start a Business

PALM TRAN & PALM TRAN CONNECTION

- Connection Paratransit
- Fixed Route
- Go Glades

PARKS & RECREATION

- Environmental Conservation: Raptors & Birds of Prey; Florida Native Reptiles & Keystone Species; Natural Land Management; Outdoor Recreation; Nature Ninja Warriors
- Great Parks = Great Communities (An Overview of Palm Beach County's Park System & the Many Benefits)
- Health & Wellness; Youth Developments
- Riverbend & Loxahatchee Battlefield Parks - Pioneer & Second Seminole War History
- Therapeutic Recreation: Adaptive Sports, Special Olympics & Arts4All
- Water Safety: General Safety Around Water; Beach Safety & Rip Currents; Drowning Prevention/Learn to Swim; Ocean Rescue/Aquatics Profession; Ocean Marine Life

PLANNING, ZONING & BUILDING

- Building: Permits, Inspections, Flood Risk Information & Regulations Such as Tall Condo Laws
- Code Enforcement: Complaints & Compliance Procedures
- Contractors Certification: Hiring Licensed/Insured Contractors, Complaints & Procedures for Contractors
- Planning: Land Use Regulations, Comprehensive Plan, Workforce Housing & More
- Zoning: Information on Zoning Regulations Such as Setbacks, Tree Removal Guidelines, Native Plant Species & More

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

- 2020 Census
- Media Relations
- Overview of County Services
- Palm Beach County Website pbc.gov
- PBC TV Channel 20

RISK MANAGEMENT

- Managing County Risks

TOURIST DEVELOPMENT

- Arts & Culture Tourism
- County Convention Center Economic Driver
- Film & TV Industry
- Leisure Tourism & Development
- Sports Tourism Economy
- The Palm Beaches Television Channel

TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AGENCY

- Bicycle & Pedestrian Safety
- Greenways & Trails
- Long-Range Transportation Planning
- Regional Transportation Planning
- Road Construction
- Traffic Congestion Management
- Transit Planning
- Transportation Funding

VICTIM SERVICES

- Bystander Intervention
- Domestic Violence/Stalking/Cyberstalking/Dating Violence
- DUI Homicide
- Human Trafficking
- Sexual Assault
- Survivor Action Team (Empowered Survivors)
- Teen Dating Violence
- Victim Services & Rights
- Violence on College/School Campus
- Violence Prevention Strategies

WATER UTILITIES

- Drinking Water Treatment Plant Tours
- Reclaimed Water, Advanced Water Purification & Reclamation Facility Tours
- Wakodahatchee Wetlands Tours

YOUTH SERVICES

- Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES) & Trauma Informed Care
- Birth to 22: United for Brighter Futures
- Bullying Prevention & Intervention
- Child Abuse & Neglect
- Communication, Boundary Setting & Conflict Resolution
- Compassion Fatigue & Self Care
- Developing Multicultural Competence
- Emotion Identification & Regulation
- Highridge Family Center & Youth Counseling
- Introduction to Mental Health, Talking About Mental Health
- Making a Difference Through Mentoring
- Positive Parenting Strategies
- Relaxation Techniques
- Resilience & Coping Strategies
- Self-Esteem & Self-Confidence
- Social & Emotional Functioning of Youth
- Understanding Child/Adolescent Behaviors
- Youth Violence Prevention & Juvenile Justice

ADDITIONAL SOURCES

Speakers are also provided by offices and organizations that operate independently from the Board of County Commissioners. These include constitutional offices and the Judiciary, state agencies and special taxing districts. For a speaker, please call them directly:

Clerk & Comptroller	561-355-2996
(Boca, Delray, Glades 888-760-9206)	
Guardian Ad Litem.....	561-355-6224
Health Care District	561-659-1270
Health Department	561-840-4500
Judiciary	561-355-2431
Property Appraiser	561-355-3230
Public Defender	561-355-7500
Sheriff	561-688-3000
(South County 995-2800, Glades 996-1670)	
Solid Waste Authority	561-640-4000
(Boca, Delray, Glades 866-792-4636)	
State Attorney	355-7100
Supervisor of Elections.....	656-6200
Tax Collector.....	355-2264

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